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No. 74.

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 1882.

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PER QUARTER.

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GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, 14th March, 1882. [165]

THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.

CAPITAL £1,000,000 (One Million Sterling).

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GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, 14th March, 1882. [164]

YANG TSEZIE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up) £10,420,000
PERMANENT RESERVE £10,000,000
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND £288,936.17

TOTAL CAPITAL AND ACCUMULATIONS, 2nd April, 1881, £10,938,936.17

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RUSSELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 23rd January, 1882. [53]

NOTICE.

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WOO LIN YUEN,
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HEAD OFFICE,
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.
Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [81]

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Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. [4]

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Hongkong, 15th April, 1882. [243]

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H. FOURNIER & Co.,
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HONGKONG.
Hongkong, 2nd March, 1882. [17]

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The Curfew Bell Allis Gower
Told in the Twilight J. L. Molloy
The Birds and the Cross J. L. Molloy
Shadows of the Past C. Marriott
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A. HÖFLICH,

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Hongkong, 17th April, 1882. [192]

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fiably or otherwise in an official sense will be proved hereafter—he positively and somewhat offensively declined to further the ends of justice by answering the Coroner's questions, because they were in his opinion informal.

If Mr. HENRY G. THOMSETT is such a stickler for red-tape formalities, it seems a pity that he cannot show a slight amount of consistency in his worship at the shrine of official etiquette. The Harbour Master's annual report, published in last Saturday's *Gazette*, is not altogether in accordance with the principles which Mr. THOMSETT preached last week with so much tenacious obstinacy before his worship, the Coroner. A more informal official report from the head of a Government department to the Colonial Secretary we never read. Under ordinary circumstances we should scarcely deem it worth our while to notice even glaring blunders in the minor details of such an important official report, as that of the Harbour Master; but as Mr. H. G. THOMSETT has chosen to make himself obstructive to the loudly expressed wishes of the community, and has ventured to create a most deplorable scandal in one of our public courts, justifying himself for so doing by asserting that the course of examination pursued by the Coroner was not in accordance with official custom, rule, or etiquette, we feel no compunction whatever in stripping the borrowed plumes from the champion of officialdom, and showing how easily this rigid stickler for routine can glide from official custom when it serves his own purpose to do so.

The Harbour Master's annual report is a most complete and exhaustive one. It contains a mass of valuable and interesting information and statistics relating to shipping, emigration, and other matters connected with the department, which will well repay careful perusal. We may deal at some length with the facts and figures of the report another time; at present, our object is merely to point out where its worthy author fails to reach that high pinnacle of official perfection which he so dogmatically and triumphantly flaunted in the face of the astonished Coroner at the Magistracy on Friday last. Compilers of official reports are supposed to know something of the rules, and to adhere, to some slight extent at least, to the principles of English grammar. Clever men of the Mr. H. G. THOMSETT type would appear to consider that a loudly-expressed belief in red-tape is of far greater official importance than the grammatical compilation of a departmental report. The Harbour Master's annual return is conspicuous for a style of language which a washer-woman would be ashamed to own. In paragraph 5 we read:—"The trade in sailing vessels (exclusive of junks) has also increased, there having been 461 vessels and 23,819 tons arrived in 1881, as against 416 vessels and 21,466 tons arrived in 1880. Of this increase 15 vessels and 13,697 tons were under the British flag, and 33 vessels with 20,656 tons were under the flags of Nations not British."

"There having been arrived" is an expression which really requires some official explanation; however, there are so many eccentricities of construction in the document under notice that we will mercifully believe that the report was originally written in Portuguese and afterwards translated into official English. One can imagine Dr. Stewart's changes of countenance when he perused this scholarly (?) effusion; they must have been a perfect study.

We observe that it is the opinion of the Harbour Master that:—"Captains Napier and Carpenter R.N., in H.M.S. *Magpie* having completed their survey of the Coast of Hainan, and the Gulf of Tonquin, masters of vessels will find the navigation of the waters about the dangerous sandbanks which almost block the approaches to Hainan much facilitated; and shipmasters cannot be too grateful to the captains and officers of the *Magpie* for their valuable and laborious services."

What does Mr. H. G. THOMSETT know of "the valuable and laborious services of the captains and officers of the *Magpie*?" How is it that the valuable and laborious services of the crew of that vessel are so conspicuously overlooked by the estimable Harbour Master? Is the worthy ex-commander of the *Princess Charlotte* a believer in the theory that the crew should do all the work, and the officers receive all the credit? It seems remarkably like it. However, the references to the gratitude which shipmasters ought to feel to these energetic "captains and officers" for doing work for which they are specially engaged and sufficiently remunerated by the country, are exceedingly ill timed, and impudent, and altogether out of place in the Coroner's Court with much anxiety.

We are informed by the Agents, Messrs. McLaren & Co., that the Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamer *Orion* left Singapore this morning, and may be expected here on or about the 29th inst. The Spanish frigate *Dona Maria de Molina*, and the American barque *Chattanooga* undocked at Sam-shui-poo this morning. The Spanish steamer *Churrucu* came out of Kowloon Dock last night, making room for the *Buuan*.

superfluous gratitude is not quite apparent. Is this attempt to curry favor with, this gross flattery of the captains and officers of the *Magpie*, who have only at the very utmost done their duty, strictly in accordance with official precedent? We think not; and if it is, it most certainly ought not to be.

What has the Harbour Master of Hongkong to do officially with any diplomatic proceedings between the governments of China and the United States? If Mr. THOMSETT is an advocate of Chinese emigration to America or elsewhere, it would be just as well if he would keep his private opinions—which practically cannot be of any material value—out of the official documents of his department.

The following paragraphs appear to us to be strangely out of place in an annual statistical return, and it will be noted that the Harbour Master himself is of our opinion, as he observes that the subjects dealt with are not matters for discussion in the report:—"It is a strange commentary on the recent Convention, entered into between the United States of America and China for the purpose of checking emigration, to find that 14,127 more Chinese have been introduced into those States than landed there in 1880, and Chinese are still going over in large numbers, for the purpose of constructing new Railroads. The Chinese on arrival get high wages and the protection of the law, and their condition in America is far superior to what they experience in their native country."

The Australian Governments have adopted a more practical means of putting a stop to the immigration of Chinese into those Colonies, by laws which in their effect almost completely prohibit a Chinaman from seeking his living on that Continent. How far this prohibition is in accordance with the existing Treaties with China, and the expediency of shutting out the most sober and industrious race in the world from a Continent wanting labourers, are not matters for discussion in this report."

The Harbour Master's remarks relating to the contemplated Observatory at Kowloon, and his suggestions with reference to the necessity for a Time Ball for the benefit of shipmasters, may or may not be worthy of consideration; but they are assuredly ill-timed and out of place in his annual report; and we hardly think it probable that the Colonial Authorities will entertain the idea of applying to Admiral WILLES to arrange for a Time Ball "being dropped daily at one o'clock on board H.M.S. *Victor Emmanuel*" to please Mr. H. G. THOMSETT, especially when it is remembered that the Kowloon Observatory scheme will very shortly receive the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, or be rejected altogether as useless, and unnecessary. Shipmasters have managed to get along fairly well so far without Mr. THOMSETT's assistance, or that of the much belauded Time Ball, and doubtless they will continue to do so, until the Government sees fit to make better provision for their requirements. The references to the licenses paid by Chinese junks is "a palpable hit" at a pet theory of Governor HEXXESSER's, but it is a singularly ineffective one, besides it is not official.

The following passage on the Breakwater is worthy of close attention:—"The construction of the Breakwater for the Harbour of Refuge is progressing, but to make this Refuge complete it will be necessary to dredge a considerable portion of the inclosed space. A good dredging machine, if the Colony possessed one, would always find employment, as the foreshore is constantly silting up, forming an embankment along the Praya, which, at low water, not only prevents cargo and other boats from getting close inshore to discharge and load, but the filth deposited by the drains creates such a stench, especially in the summer months, that it only requires one's hours to be spent, as mine are, in an Office on the Praya, fully to appreciate the evil."

Mr. H. G. THOMSETT is evidently not in favour of the drainage system of sanitation. He says, in effect, that the stench on the Praya, especially during the summer months, is unendurable; and after bearing testimony to his own regular attendance at the Harbour Office, winds up with the amusing statement that it requires one's hours to be spent, (as his are) in an office on the Praya, fully to appreciate the evil. And yet Mr. THOMSETT declined to answer the Coroner's questions at the recent Inquest, because he considered them irrelevant. We await the issue of the dead-lock in the Coroner's Court with much anxiety.

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A poor widow, who was found sleeping in the veranda of a house in Queen's-road East, she having no visible means of subsistence, was brought up before Captain Thomsett this morning, who directed a passage to her native place to be paid for her from the poor-box.

REUTER wires that severe frost prevails in Italy causing serious damage to the mulberry trees. It is not stated what effect it has had on the cabbages.

THE two men, Mollers and Powers, convicted yesterday in the shooting case in a tavern in Queen's-road, were sentenced this morning to ten years' penal servitude each, no distinction being made between the man who fired the shot and his companion who assisted in the attack. The boy Spencer and other prisoners will be sentenced on Monday at ten o'clock.

EUSEBIO LISOLA DA ROCIA, receiving officer in Victoria Gaol, summoned Lam Akeu, a married woman, residing at 25, Bridges-street, for having on the 16th instant, unlawful and abusive and insulting language towards him, whereby a breach of the peace might have been occasioned. Complainant said the defendant, his next door neighbour, was wasting the water of the house, and that when he remonstrated with her, she called him filthy names, so he gave her in charge. The defendant, who said Eusebio had stopped her water, which led to a dispute, was fined twenty-five cents or one day's imprisonment.

WE would direct attention to the advertisement in another column announcing the performance of Pedrotti's well known comic opera, "Tutti in Maschera" by the Italian Opera Company, on Tuesday next, for the benefit of Signora Pinelli. The young prima donna has, during her short season in Hongkong, proved herself to be a talented and conscientious artiste, especially distinguishing herself in the lighter class of opera—such as "Tutti in Maschera"—and we therefore trust she will receive extensive patronage. Pedrotti's comic sketch is exceedingly amusing, and as signora Pinelli, who appears as Vitoria, will be supported by the full strength of the company, we shall doubtless see a crowded house.

THE Band of the Buffs will play in the Public Gardens to-morrow evening Friday, 21st instant, under the direction of band-master Quinn, commencing at 5 p.m.

PROGRAMME:

March....."Alfred and Marie".....Benedict.
Prelude....."The Queen of Sheba".....Benedict.
Valse....."Cavatina".....H.E.H. Duke of Edinburgh.
Selection....."Il Barbieri".....Reed.
Aria....."Che la Corte Sia Bontà".....Verdi.
Galop....."Earl of Chester".....Verdi.

THREE coolies were brought up this morning before Captain Thomsett charged with stowing themselves away on board the steamship *Patroclus* from Amoy to Hongkong on the 19th instant. Captain White, the Master, said defendants were found on board after the vessel had left Amoy, that they had no passenger tickets, nor permission to be there. Defendants, who admitted the charge, were sentenced to fourteen days' hard labour each, unless able to purchase tickets, in which case they could be released.

YET another illustration of the evils of gambling among the Chinese is furnished by the embroiled case reported elsewhere. From a letter found on the prisoner when arrested, it would appear that he gambled away all the money embezzled by him, and it may safely be assumed that the vice of gambling first led him to appropriate his master's money to his own use. The prisoner's intention of not gambling any more was unhappily formed too late to be of any benefit to him.

A Celestial tailor was brought up this morning before Captain Thomsett charged with stealing a rice-pounder living in the same house with him, a box and other articles of the value of nine Mexicans. The tailor took advantage of the rice-pounder's absence from the house to annex the property, but was collared the same morning by the landlord with the articles in his possession, save the box. He admitted the charge, pleading he was very poor. The Magistrate, who declined to recognize that poverty was any excuse for dishonesty, sentenced the tailor to six months' hard labour.

THE annual inspection of the Royal Artillery and Gun Lascars, under the command of Colonel Crawford, was begun this morning under weather conditions the reverse of favourable, a drizzling rain prevailing nearly the whole of the time.

The battery, between forty and fifty strong, and two companies of the Lascars, numbering over ninety, were formed up on the Garrison Parade Ground shortly before seven o'clock, waiting for the General, but the rain increasing in volume, they were obliged to seek a partial shelter underneath the tree lining the eastern portion of the ground, where they had scarcely taken up a position, when the General's Aide-de-camp rode up to intimate His Excellency would inspect the men at the Barracks. Thither were marched back, feeling, no doubt, aggrieved that they were not afforded an opportunity of showing what they could do in the open, and were formed up in line under the veranda in rear of the Barracks. The General soon arrived, accompanied by his Aide-de-Camp, and was received with a "present" and a general salute on the trumpets. His Excellency having inspected the ranks, the men were moved on to the battery parade ground, where they did a march past in very good form, considering there was no band present to move their warlike souls with its martial strains, and coax their nether man to move in unison with the music. Major Moore-Lane having put the parade through various evolutions and manual and firing exercise, all of which were performed with the precision and soldierlike steadiness which have over distinguished the Royal Regiment of Artillery during the many years it has been our esteemed privilege to enjoy their acquaintance, Company drill was carried out, in brief, by Captain Hewett and Lieutenants Lambert and Lane, respectively, the rain preventing any very elaborate display. This concluded the first part of the programme, the General and his staff immediately sheering off to the drier comfort of Head Quarter House, and the men to their hot coffee and rum steaks, supplied by that prince of Army contractors, Hing Kee, of Hongkong Hotel notoriety. This afternoon drill with seven pounder mountain, and 64-pounder mountain loading guns, was gone through on the battery parade ground in presence of the General, several detachments of the Artillery and Gun Lascars working the guns. The drill was carried out in a very efficient and satisfactory manner.

WE are informed that the proposals submitted to the Admiralty by the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Limited, for a new dock at Hungham, of sufficient capacity to dock the largest vessels in Her Majesty's Navy, have received their Lordship's approval. The plans of the proposed dock are now being carefully prepared in Hongkong, and after some little difficulties, which the Company had had under way with the Surveyor General's Department for the past twelve months, have been satisfactorily arranged, the work will be commenced at as early a date as circumstances will allow. Until the difficulties above referred to have been settled, it would obviously be impolitic to make any detailed or extended reference to this important undertaking, therefore we reserve full particulars of the projected dock until a more fitting time.

POLICE COURT.—THIS DAY.

EMBEZZLEMENT BY A SHOPMAN.

The case, remanded from yesterday, in which Wong Lin, a shopman, is charged with embezzling about \$901.7, the money of Fung Ying, master of the Kwong Fuk Cheung shop, 243, Queen's-road West, came on again this morning before Mr. Wodehouse. The compradore of Messrs. Eesinan and Co., Cage-street, testified to defendant, whom he had known as a bill collector of the Kwong Fuk Cheung for over a year, presenting an order on the 19th January last from his (the compradore's) master for \$187.8, which was paid to him, the stamp of defendant's firm being obtained on the order as a receipt. The account of Messrs. Hajee Bazaar, 28, Lyndhurst Terrace, proved having paid the defendant \$284.69, on the 17th January, on an order from his master, the shop of defendant's shop being impressed as a receipt. Abdool Hussen Abdool Alee deposed to paying him \$229 on 28th January, and Abdool Kerim Soco on the 21st January, making altogether \$901.7. The Accountant of the Kwong Fuk Cheung shop said the sums mentioned in the papers shewn him, purporting to be receipts by his firm, were actually owing to the firm for goods sold by them to the different witnesses, but that in no case had the firm received the amounts. The defendant was not authorized to collect the money. What he did was to take the shop's books containing the entries of things sold to different firms, make out bills, and then use the shop's shop by way of receipt. He suspected the defendant, and upon enquiry of different firms found they had paid him bills to the extent of \$901.7, which the witness's firm had never received. Police servant Fisher, who arrested the prisoner in Wellington street, found on him a letter asking for the loan of thirty or forty dollars, and stating he had already lost a thousand in gambling, but did not intend to gamble any more. The letter was addressed "To my uncle." The prisoner being duly cautioned according to law, asked the witness if it was he who sold them the goods, to which they each replied that it was the firm who sold them, through him. He was then committed for trial, reserving his defence.

CRICKET.

THE GARRISON V. THE BUFFS.

A match between teams representing the Officers of the Garrison and Buffs respectively was played on the Cricket Ground yesterday afternoon. The Garrison, playing one man short, went first to the wickets, and ran up 122 before being all disposed of, of which number Wolsley contributed 30, Fincham (not out) 20, and Hare 17. Their opponents were still more successful, against extremely feeble bowling and very loose fielding totalling 203 before the last wicket fell. For the victory Bunbury hit hard for 40; Jarrett and Holme scoring 30 each, whilst Daughish put together 27 in creditable style.

The full scores are as under:

THE GARRISON.	
Dr. Critt, A.M.D., c	b Holmes.....1
Lieut. Luck, R.A., c and b Capt. Howarth.....1	
Dr. Wolsley, A.M.D., b Bunbury.....30	
D. A. C. G. Hare, b Fincham.....17	
Capt. Fincham, b Holmes.....1	
Major Moore-Lane, R.A., c Daughish, b Hughes.....0	
Mr. Fincham, not out.....0	
Mr. Sader, c Hobson, b Hughes.....14	
Lieut. Jarrett, b Fincham.....10	
Lieut. Allen, A.D.C., run out.....1	
Extras.....1	

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THE BUFFS.	
Major Harrison, b Sader.....1	
Lieut. Daughish, b Fincham.....40	
Lieut. Jarrett, c Fincham, b Hare.....12	
Lieut. Peter, b Fincham.....10	
Lieut. Hobson, b Hare.....10	
Lieut. D'Ach, c Holmes, b Fincham.....9	
Lieut. Holmes, b Sader.....30	
Capt. Howarth, not out.....10	
Extras.....1	

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FOREIGN NEWS.

The following additional items of foreign news are taken from San Francisco papers brought on by the steamer *Oceanus*.

LONDON, March 9th.

A Paris dispatch says the recent vote in the Chamber of Deputies in favor of the conclusion of the agreement with the railway companies, by which members of the chamber would have the right to travel anywhere in France for the payment of one hundred and twenty francs per year, has created very unfavorable comment. A private person would have to pay 3,000 francs for a similar privilege. It is presumed the railway companies expect some legislative favor in consideration of doing this dead-head business.

There is a rumour of a revival of the movement for increasing the

THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH.

Gladstone has officially stated he cannot possibly entertain the application for remission of the extra tobacco duty.

James Rourke, business partner of Egan, Treasurer of the Land League, has been arrested under the Coercion Act in Dublin on a charge of intimidation.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 10th. The Czar, on receiving General Skoboleff, said, "I am dispensed with you. You doubtless wished to glorify Russia. Look before your speech, Russia enjoyed certain authority in Europe. Now you see her forsaken, Austria irritated and France distant. Gladstone has his hands tied, and the Russophobists party in England triumphs at finding a foundation on which to base its inceptions against what it regards as the bellicose disposition and grasping tendencies of Russia."

NEW YORK, March 11th. Panama advises to March 1st say:—"The editor of *El Porvenir*, Guatemala, has been arrested for printing an article offensive to the United States Minister to Central America, Dr. Logan. The article was not important, but Logan complained to President Barrios of its unfriendly tone, and the President arrested the editor and suspended publication of the paper without investigation. The American residents are displeased with Logan's action in the matter."

President Meiggs, in a message to the Colombian Congress, expresses the hope that the American Government will not insist upon Blaine's interpretation of the treaty of 1855 and his idea of an American protectorate over the Panama Canal.

The *Herald's* Madrid cablegram says: "Governor-General Prudencio insists on resigning in consequence of the severity with which the Creole Liberals are blamed by the Madrid Government. The Cabinet has determined to send Concho, Jovellar or Castillo to Cuba with positive instructions to show no preference either to Conservatives or Liberals in the future. The *Herald's* correspondent has interviewed a journalist who was recently exiled from Cuba. His account of the state of the Island is not favorable, but he declares that the Creoles and colored people are loyal to the mother country, and have hopes of reforms being granted to Cuba."

PANIS, March 11th. The senate to-day, after discussing the Compulsory Primary Education bill, rejected it—167 to 123. An amendment by Jules Simon, requiring schoolmasters to teach pupils their duty towards God and their country, was voted on by the senate before the last senatorial election, but rejected by the Deputies.

LONDON, March 11th. Sir Henry Halford calls upon the foremost shots among the British Volunteers to practise, with special reference to participating in the international shooting match. He adds: "Nothing short of the best work of the best men the country can produce will assure success for the British at Creedmoor."

VIENNA, March 11th. It is reported that eight hundred individuals unprovided with passports have been expelled from Moscow within a few days.

CITY OF MEXICO, 11th. The Press is almost unanimous in denouncing the importation of negro labor for railway work.

IRKUS, March 11th. Jackson, the *Herald's* correspondent, started north yesterday.

Lieutenant Danenhouer is expected to start for St. Petersburg to-day.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 13th. The anniversary of the assassination of the late Czar Alexander is commemorated to-day by solemn service at the Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul.

LONDON, March 13th. A correspondent at Killarney says: "It is believed that matters are rapidly mending in Ireland. A number of tenants are coming forward to claim the advantages of the Land Act."

A former named Connell, and his wife, have been shot in the legs at Fete, County, Clare, and it is expected they will die.

ROM, March 13th. The Pope, in an audience with Van Schoerzen, German representative at the Vatican, yesterday, said that it is only rested with him, the settlement of the question between Prussia and the Vatican would be immediately reached on all points.

PARIS, March 13th. The senate by a vote of 145 to 53, has adopted the resolution favoring the granting of railway tickets for legislators at nominal rates.

BERLIN, March 13th.

There were six mass meetings here yesterday to protest against the Tobacco Monopoly bill, and 15,000 people attended the meetings.

NEW YORK, March 14th.

Advices from Panama state that the report of the earthquake in Costa Rica was taken from an official dispatch, which proves to have grossly exaggerated the disaster. Advices from Costa Rica by mail do not confirm the statement in the official dispatch, as to the destruction of towns and loss of life.

VIENNA, March 15th. It is announced the Montenegrin army has been mobilized, and the special Mission cannot leave Cettigne for Vienna.

The *Press* says of the mobilization—semi-official statements, while not denying the possibility of such a course being contemplated, declares that up to the present time there has been no cause to doubt the loyal policy of Montenegro.

HALIFAX, March 15th. Adams and Lecamp, of New York paid \$8,000 for a gold mine at Caribou, in this country, lately operated by D. A. McDonald. He came into town with a bar weighing one hundred ounces, worth about \$2,000, the labour of obtaining which was less than \$400. The lead is 38 feet wide, and the yield for a ton of quartz averages two ounces.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 15th. The *Novoye Vremya* says it thinks the difficulties arising from an Austrian advance can be best solved, and the danger of war averted, by a new Congress to be summoned by England.

BERLIN, March 15th. The interview between the Emperor and Bismarck, on Sunday, was for the purpose of discussing the Russian question. The Skoboleff affair is regarded as settled, but great watchfulness is required. Bismarck has long since arranged European combinations for every eventuality.

ROME, March 15th. There was great rejoicing yesterday in honor of King Humbert's birthday. The city was gaily decorated, and the troops were reviewed by His Majesty. The foreign sovereigns telegraphed congratulations. Similar enthusiasm was manifested in the provinces.

BERLIN, March 15th. The Emperor William has received an automatic letter from the Czar on the anniversary of the assassination of his father, Alexander II, which deeply affected the German monarch.

The statement that Skoboleff has been arrested and confined in a fortress at Wilna is contradicted.

LONDON, March 15th. The *Times*, on the case of Dr. Lamson, says: "It would be difficult to find an example in which proof of criminality was more complete. The conviction of Dr. Lamson may contribute to the welfare of many lives, which his acquittal would have placed in peril."

THAMES-STREET INDUSTRIES, by Percy Russell. This illustrated Pamphlet on Perfumery, &c., published at 6d., may be had gratis from any Chemist or dealer in perfumery in the World, or JOHN GOSWELL & CO., London. [ADVE.]

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR MANILA, VIA AMOY.

DIMANTE.
Captain Cullen, will be despatched for the above Port, TO-MORROW, the 21st instant, at 4 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & CO.,
Hongkong, 20th April, 1882. [261]

FOR MANILA AND ILOILO.

REMUS.
Captain Watt, will be despatched for the above Ports, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th instant at 4 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
REMEDIOS & CO.,
Hongkong, 20th April, 1882. [262]

FOR VICTORIA, VANCOUVER'S ISLAND.

THE 100 AT British Steamship
CINOPUS.
Captain Joy, will be despatched for the above Port, on or about the 28th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & CO.,
Hongkong, 20th April, 1882. [257]

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE.
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THE Company's Steamship
ORION.
Captain G. Mahorsich, will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 6th inst., at 4 P.M.

For further Particulars, apply to
MELCHERS & CO.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 20th April, 1882. [260]

THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL HONGKONG.

TO-MORROW EVENING, THE 21ST APRIL, 1882.

THE "FRENCH OPERA BOUFFE" COMPANY
WILL GIVE
ONE PERFORMANCE ONLY
before leaving here for Saigon next
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"LA PERICHEOLE" OPERA BOUFFE IN THREE ACTS
(Music by Offenbach).

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FRASQUELLA Mlle. MARYBEL.
BRAMBILLA Mlle. HERMENCE.
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DON ANDRES M. PONTE.
TARAPOTE M. BEGUIN.
PANATELLIS M. FERNAND.
DON PEDRO M. LALANDE.
UN NOTAIRE M. EMMANUEL.

THE ORCHESTRA WILL BE UNDER THE DIRECTION OF PROFESSOR LADISLAS.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.
Dress Circle and stalls \$1.00.
Black Seats \$1.00.

Tickets may be obtained and Seats reserved at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Doors open at 8.30 P.M.; Performance to commence at NINE O'CLOCK sharp.

DIRECTOR
M. R. P. O. N. T. E. T.
Hongkong, 20th April, 1882. [263]

THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.
SIGNOR HOFLICH
begs to inform the Public of Hongkong, that

THERE WILL BE AN EXTRA PERFORMANCE,

ON TUESDAY EVENING, THE 25TH APRIL
FOR THE BENEFIT OF SIGNORA ELENA PINELLI.

PRIMA DONNA ASSOLUTA,
When will be produced by general desire
CARLO PEDROTTI'S COMIC OPERA

"TUTTI IN 'MASCHERA,'"
IN FOUR ACTS.

DRAMATIS PERSONAE.

Dr. GREGORIO, MAESTRO DI MUSICA signor CORTI.

DOROTEA SUA MOGLIE signora SILINI.

VITORIA, PRIMA DONNA signora PINELLI.

EMILIO CAVALIERO signor VANEZZI.

IMPRESARIO ABDALIA signor CIOCCI.

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Masquers, Artists, Chorus, &c.

Orchestra Directed by signor CATTANEO.

BETWEEN THE 3RD AND 4TH ACTS.

SIGNOR A. P. I. L. L. I. will sing the well-known cavatina from Donizetti's popular opera

B. E. T. L. Y.

The Subscription List is now open at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH'S.

Hongkong, 20th April, 1882. [259]

To-day's Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF VALUABLE PROPERTY.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the MORTGAGEE to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 3rd May, 1882, at 3 P.M., on the Premises, THE Three substantially Built CHINESE SHOPS, in Queen's Road West, Nos. 42, 44, and 46, Registered in the LAND OFFICE as Section A of INLAND LOT 363, and Section B of INLAND LOT 366, Victoria, Hongkong.

For Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, Apply to

J. M. GUEDES.

Auctioneer.

33, Wellington-street, Hongkong, 18th April, 1882. [258]

Intimations.

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Hongkong, 11th April, 1882. [225]

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BEACONSFIELD ARCADE,

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FURNITURE, PIANOS, &c.,

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A GOOD SELECTION OF BOOKS.

Some Choice Original Oil Paintings and Water

Colours, Chromes, Engravings, &c.

A FEW PIECES OF OLD PORCELAIN AND OTHER

WARE.

CHINESE AND JAPANESE CURIOS.

Hongkong, 14th March, 1882. [163]

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COAL MERCHANT,

18, WING SING LANE, HONGKONG.

KEEPS on hand for sale all kinds of STEAM

COAL of the best quality, at moderate

rates; also has always Powerful Steam Launches

for Hire at a Reasonable Charge, either for

special Purposes, Excursions, or Towing.

Hongkong, 13th April, 1882. [234]

NOTICE.

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No. 74.

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 1882.

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Insurances.

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FANCY GOODS.

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Hongkong, 14th March, 1882.

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CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up) £15,000,000.

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Hongkong, 13th January, 1882.

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NOTICE.

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WOO LIN YUEN,

Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE:

102, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

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Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

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Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

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To be Let.

OFFICES IN NO. 13, QUEEN'S ROAD

CENTRAL, ALSO,

NO. 4, SEYMOUR TERRACE,

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App'd.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO.

Hongkong, 23rd March, 1882.

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Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

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THEIR MERCHANTS.

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Hongkong, 1st April, 1882.

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SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENT SHEET.

THURSDAY, 20TH APRIL, 1882, 10.30 A.M.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

UNION LINE.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship
GALLEY OF LORNE.

Captain Branwhite will be despatched for the above Port to-day, the 20th instant, at Five P.M.

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RUSSELL & CO.

Hongkong, 20th April, 1882. [256]

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THE 400 ft. British Steamship
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J. M. GUEDES,
Auctioneer,
33, Wellington-street, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 20th April, 1882. [258]

MEMOS. FOR TO-DAY.

The Ocean Company's steamer *Patriotus* will leave for Singapore and London, at noon. Mails close at 11 a.m.

The *Phœbe* is underlined to leave for Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow, at noon, to-day.

Public auction of stationery, by Mr. J. M. Armstrong, at his sales Rooms, Queen's Road, at noon.

Public auction of valuable English and Canton-made Household Furniture, by Mr. J. M. Guedes, at the premises No. 35, Pottinger street, commencing at 2 p.m.

The *White Cloud* leaves for Macao, at 2 o'clock.

Mails for Portland and Honolulu, per *Bothwell Castle*, will close at 2.30.

The steamship *Amoy* will leave for Shanghai, at 4 o'clock, this afternoon.

The steamship *Galley of Lorne* will be despatched for Yokohama, at 5 o'clock. Mails close at the Post Office at 4.30. Applications for freight or passage, to be made to Messrs. Russell & Co.

The auction of house property at No. 8, Wellington street, advertised by Mr. J. M. Guedes, to take place on Monday, April 24th, has been postponed until the following Monday, May 1st, at 3 p.m.

Intimations.

J. M. GUEDES,
HOUSE AND LAND BROKER;
AUCTIONEER, and
COMMISSION AGENT.

No. 33, WELLINGTON-STREET, HONGKONG,
Hongkong, 23rd January, 1882. [62]

J. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE. AND
DAVID CORSAIR & SONS' MERCHANT NAVY.

NAVY BOILED LONG FLAX CANVAS CROWN.

ARNOLD, KARBERG & CO.,
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. [5]

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ALWAYS ON HAND.

L. MALLORY,
Proprietor.

Hongkong, 24th June, 1881. [11]

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Hongkong, 18th April, 1882. [12]

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Hongkong, 11th April, 1882. [255]

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CHINESE AND JAPANESE CURIOS.

Hongkong, 14th March, 1882. [163]

CHS. J. GAUPP & CO.

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CLOCK-MAKERS,

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